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Deepak Shukla, et al

AN ALIGNED LIQUID CRYSTAL LAYER CONTAINING LEWIS ACIDS AND PROCESS FOR INCREASING THE TILT

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In response to the Office Action mailed December 29, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.